ORGANICS

All of these materials can go in your green organics cart.



Food scraps and leftovers

Meat, fish, dairy, fruit, vegetables, shells, bones, pasta, rice, eggshells, nutshells, bread, grains and leftovers.



Food-soiled paper

Coffee grounds and filters, tea bags, waxed cardboard, soiled paper bags, kitchen paper towels, paper napkins, non-coated paper plates and loose shredded paper.



Plants, flowers and yard trimmings

Plants and flowers, landscape vegetation, vegetative garden waste, windfall fruit, jack-o-lanterns and brush.



Organics Tips

Collect food scraps. It's easy to do!

- 1. Use a collection method that works for you.

 - Paper grocery bag
 - Collander or strainer
 Reusable plastic, metal, or ceramic container with a lid
 - Newspaper
- 2. Empty your container into organics cart frequently.
- 3. Layer food scraps with yard waste, newspaper or shredded paper to absorb liquids.

Extra organics: There is a charge for extra organics.

Put extra food and yard waste in kraft paper bags or 32-gallon containers with handles and lids (65 lb. limit), label "yard."



